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1. On 1 October 1954, 21 tons of raw rubber in sheets arrived at Bad Schandau from the USSR. The rubber was forwarded to an import storage depot in Halle.

In mid-October, 790 tons of raw rubber had been dispatched at the Soviet-Chinese border on 6 October 1954. On 22 October 1954, it was learned at the State Committee for Materials Supply that all track had been lost of this rubber shipment.

2. The delay in the arrival of rubber shipments from the USSR necessitated the withdrawal of 200 tons of raw rubber from the State Reserve Depot at the chemical factory at Niederau in Saxony. In spite of this measure, the natural rubber processing factories in the GDR continued to be short of raw materials.

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